

**APPLICATION FOR PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR MILITARY PERSONNEL**

(Pursuant to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940)

Military personnel on active duty are eligible to defer the payment of their property taxes under the provisions of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act. Instead of the penalties, costs and fees imposed under California law, the unpaid taxes are subject only to interest at the rate of six percent per annum. This application form may be completed by the military serviceperson, his/her adult dependent, or any other individual authorized by the serviceperson to act on his/her behalf. Please complete the information below and file the form with the tax collector of the county in which the property is located. **Please attach a copy of your orders or a letter from your commanding officer.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Branch of Military Service: \_\_\_\_\_ Status: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of entry into Military Service: \_\_\_\_\_ Serial Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Stationed at: \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach a copy of your orders or a letter from your commanding officer.

Description of Property

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Assessor's Identification Number: \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Personal Residence                      \_\_\_\_ Business Profession                      \_\_\_\_ Agricultural

Other (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

Is the property occupied and owned by applicant and/or dependents?                      \_\_\_\_ Yes      \_\_\_\_ No

Are your taxes currently being paid from an impound account?                      \_\_\_\_ Yes      \_\_\_\_ No

Please state the reason for your inability to pay the current taxes due:  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Applicant)

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(FOR COUNTY USE ONLY)

Executed at \_\_\_\_\_, County of \_\_\_\_\_

Return to:  
Contra Costa County Treasurer-Tax Collector  
P O Box 631  
Martinez, CA 94553-1231

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Tax Collector Representative)